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Dear Harold and Lil:
I have neglected my personal correspondence, so I write. I got back from Daytona last week- and have had little frustrations that drive me crazy! I honestly don't see how you and Lil have put up with all your problems over the years, the little ones drive me nuts!

Hope Lil is better. Thanks for the address of the bookstore.

Betsy has had a bad case of the flu, and could not go to work for a week. Then, my 12 year old German Shepherd Ruder died. So, I have had better weeks.

Thought the end of the Clinton impeachment was interesting. It appears that the House would not have voted to impeach if not for the secret testimony of Juanita Brodderick, alleged rape victim of Clinton. They say that the House members who looked at the secret testimony were what put the vote over the top. I always thought the Constitution worked different than that.

Had an interesting UFO show on the other night on NBC. Chip Selby was one of the segment producers. The show discussed how easy it is today to phony up video. But they analyzed some of the older UFO photos and they seemed to be authentic. Then, they discussed people who claim they have been abducted by aliens. I remain quite a skeptic on those . Sadly, I accidently erased the second hour of the tape! But I think I saw most of the good stuff.

Being ratings month, all the good shows were on. A local TV show interviewed a local man who had one of the strangest sightings I have ever heard about. It was 1:30 am, and a bright moon. He had two floodlights on his front lawn, and looked out to see if he had any deer or other animals. He saw a black pyramid shaped object, and then it moved towards his house and got up on the front porch! He got his gun, but it had left.

I have never read or heard of a similar sighting. As I once told you, I have spent years looking for the Harold Weisberg of UFO's. I think I have found him. Stanton Friedman was a physicist who worked on atomic and H bomb research. He appears to be the most reasonable and well educated of those who believe in UFO's. Seems to be a pretty realistic guy, in a field where there are some real oddballs.

Fellow named DAvid Darlington has written a book called Area 51. He is a reporter who takes the approach that he will let the UFO experts speak for themselves, and then tries to analyze them. Does a good job describing the personalities involved. Some are obviously nuts or nutty, but some are sincere people. One of the most interesting things is that two of the most realistic proponents, who have relationships with experimental military engineers, also firmly believe we are visited by other planets. All I know is that Jimmy Carter saw one!

I sent DAve Wrone a copy of a book on Ed Prichard. Am I correct that you both worked for Sen. LaFollette's committee? I believe you once told me you knew Ed Prichard and thought he was lazy. Which his biographer confirmed. He was considered Kentucky's leading intellectual.

Hope you all are well and glad to survive Clinton's impeachment. I have never seen anything quite like it. Sometimes I am amazed that we have a democracy at all. By the way, Betsy is writing a paper on the lies of the Warren Commission. I shall send you a copy. Seems her profs are mostly Irish Catholics, so they are looking forward to seeing it. Take care.

Bill Bill